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5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
6 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
7 AT TACOMA
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9 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
10 Plaintiff,
11 v.
12 DOUGLAS P. STURM,
13 Defendant.

14 CASE NO. 3:15-PO-08281-DWC
15 ORDER AMENDING ORDER FOR
16 COMPETENCY EVALUATION AND
17 HEARING

18 On January 11, 2016, this Court ordered Defendant “Douglas P. Sturm to undergo an
19 evaluation to determine his mental competency pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 4241(b) and 18 U.S.C.
20 4247(b) and (c).” Dkt. 10, p. 2 (Order Granting Defense Motion for Competency Evaluation and
21 Hearing (“Order”)). The Court ordered the evaluation to be completed within 30 days of the date
22 of the Order. *Id.*

23 Warden C. Ingram emailed a letter to the Court on January 22, 2016 requesting the 30-
24 day study under 18 U.S.C. § 4247(b) begin on January 15, 2016, the date Defendant was
25 designated to the Federal Detention Center, SeaTac, Washington (“FDC, SeaTac”) for the
26 evaluation.

27 “[T]he court may commit [a] person to be examined for a reasonable period, but not to
28 exceed thirty days, . . . to the custody of the Attorney General” for the purposes of an
29 examination under § 4241. 18 U.S.C. § 4247(b). Based on the letter from Warden Ingram, the
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1 Attorney General took custody of Defendant on January 15, 2016. Through email, both counsel
2 for the government and Defendant raise no objection to beginning the 30-day study on the date
3 Defendant entered the Attorney General's custody.

4 As the parties do not object to the evaluation beginning on January 15, 2016 with the
5 report being submitted no later than February 28, 2016, the Court hereby amends the Order as
6 follows: The evaluation shall be completed no later than February 14, 2016 and the report shall
7 be due no later than February 29, 2016.

8 Dated this 26th day of January, 2016.

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12 David W. Christel
13 United States Magistrate Judge
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